Political Scientists (19-3094)

Occupation description: Study the origin, development, and operation of political systems. May study topics, such as public opinion, political decision-making, and ideology. May analyze the structure and operation of governments, as well as various political entities. May conduct public opinion surveys, analyze election results, or analyze public documents. Excludes "Survey Researchers" (19-3022).

Employment and Job Openings

		Average employmen	Average annual openings			
	2010 estimate	2020 projection	Percent change	Growth	Replacement	Total
Alaska	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
United States	5,600	6,000	7.1	50	230	280

Job outlook

International Studies

Alaska: The job outlook for Alaska is not available.

2013 Wages **2**

	Mean Wage and 95% Confidence Interval		Wage by Percentile			
	Low	Mean	High	10th	Median	90th
United States	n/a	48.51	n/a	24.29	48.52	71.40

Labor Force Indicators

2012 ALEXsys Employment Data			
Number of registrants	30		
Number of job position postings	1		
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	30.0		

Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

Education: Master's degree Work experience: None On-the-job training: None

Training Resources

	Degree
Alaska Policy Forum	
Government Internship	
	Degree
University of Alaska Ancho	orage

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	Degree
University of Alaska Fairbanks	
Political Science	BA

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